

## PATROLMAN MOORE MAKES BIG CATCH

Two Burglars Who Have Ransacked the City.

Nearly Dozen Jobs Traced to Pair by Identification of Property in Possession.

BOTH ARE HEAVILY ARMED.

Through the bravery of Patrolman J. N. Moore, of the west end beat, without a partner, two negro house-breakers, who have been pilfering stores, residences and other places since August 3, were lodged behind prison bars, and authorities have a clear case against them, one of them is one of the three who entered Chief of Police James Collins' residence one Sunday last summer and stole his dinner, which had been set on the table ready for the chief and company he was bringing home.

Sunday morning about 3 o'clock Patrolman Moore was at Eleventh street and Broadway. He saw the two acting in a suspicious manner and going up to them commanded a halt. They ran, and Moore pulled his revolver and fired twice. One bullet passed through one fugitive's trousers leg and the other through his companion's coat, neither inflicting wounds. This stopped them. Moore came up and began a search, finding three loaded revolvers on one. The other broke away and ran. Moore brought the prisoner to police headquarters, where it was found he had pocketbooks, pistols, money and sundry articles identified later as taken from Ed Gibson's drug store Ninth street and Broadway.

"The Pie Man."

The prisoner gave the name of Charles Johnson and was identified as the "pie man" who served six months in jail for stealing "chief Collins' dinner."

Scouts were detailed on a search for the escape, and Patrolmen Cross and Johnson located him on Tower's farm and arrested him late yesterday morning. He gave the name of Charles Jones, and on him were found three pistols, some jewelry and other articles. A trip was made to their residence, in the rear of Huntington Row. Surprise is a mild expression to describe the state of mind of the policemen when the house was searched. Silverware, pistols, jewelry, pocketbooks, stamps, tooth brushes and various other articles of merchandise including several dozen coats and vests and an overcoat or two, with watches and even a clock or two, were carried to the police station for identification. Clothes stolen from Louis Levy's store on August 3 were identified in the lot. James Huffey, colored, who runs a pressing club on South Ninth street, identified many suits as stolen from him last week. Managers of the Ideal Pressing club on Jefferson street near Fifth street identified clothes stolen from them last week. Ed Gibson identified many articles stolen from his store Sunday morning and Mr. W. C. Gray, whose residence was robbed last week, identified silver ware, pistols and an overcoat. Everyone who fell a victim to burglars and housebreakers in the past month identified articles found in possession of the two prisoners.

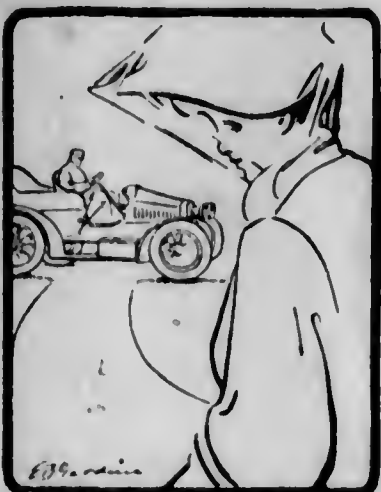
The Gibson Robbery.

Tearing two doors open and entering from the rear by means of a heavy plank used as a battering ram, thieves ransacked the Ed Gibson drug store at Ninth street and Broadway Sunday morning, pulling every drawer open, going into the cash drawers and cash register, and breaking part of the cash register. They took purses, pistols, tooth brushes, stamps, and a small ten cent cash register which they thought contained money. It was only a short time after completing this job that the two were spotted and stopped by Patrolman Moore having pistols on them taken from the drug store. All the time, while the men rummaged through Dr. Gibson's stock, the proprietor was in a room above soundly sleeping.

Is He Wanted in Louisville?

Clem Buchanan colored, thought to be wanted in Louisville for murder, was arrested Saturday night and locked up pending an investigation. He was arrested at the wharf by Patrolmen Cross and Johnson who received a tip that he was wanted in Louisville.

## WEATHER FORECAST.



## PLEASANT

Slightly falling temperature. Threatening showers.

## IN MOROCCO.

Paris, Sept. 2.—According to dispatches received from Tangier, the situation throughout Morocco is growing worse. Indeed, it may be said that there is a great alarm in many of the towns, and it is feared that France will find that she has a real war on her hands instead of a continuation of skirmishes with the tribesmen. Today the Matthe's Tangier correspondent, in his dispatches, declares that foreign legations have made announcement of places of refuge for foreigners in case of emergency. This, of course, indicates that the situation is very grave. Refugees from Fez have arrived at Tangier on the French cruiser Du Chayle, from La Roche.

## MAYFIELD FIRE.

Mayfield, Ky., Sept. 2. (Special).—The residence of James Carter, on Sixth street, was destroyed by fire yesterday, the result of the explosion of a coal oil stove. No one was injured, but the house and household goods are a total loss. Insurance of \$1,500 covered the house, but Mr. Carter will be out between \$500 and \$1,000 on the furniture.

## SMITHLAND.

Smithland, Ky., Sept. 2. (Special).—Everett Jennings, the well known Democratic orator, of Madisonville, opened the campaign in Livingston county with an address today. There was a small attendance.

## JUDGE BREATHITT TO SPEAK AT BENTON

With Mayor Buchanan, of Louisville, openly declaring the Democratic city and county primary will be a farce and a fraud, and the state administration acquiescing in the nomination of the old machine's candidate for mayor, Owen Tyler, the Kentucky metropolis is practically certain to go Republican and the state Republican committee is invading the stronghold of the opposition with their most valiant orators. Benton will greet Judge James Breathitt, of Hopkinsville, Thursday, September 19. Judge Breathitt is candidate for attorney general, perhaps, the leader of the Kentucky bar, and an orator without a peer in the state. He will speak September 18 at Edwille.

## DOCTORS ON OUTING TO ILLINOIS LAKES

Doctors and their wives, members of the McCracken County Medical society, will enjoy their last summer's outing at Metropolis lakes tomorrow, leaving the wharf at 9 o'clock in a gasoline launch and returning at 4 o'clock. There will be a barbeque followed by this program: The Rev. W. T. Bolling, "The Preacher and the Doctor"; Dr. C. E. Purcell, "Hay Fever and Its Treatment"; Dr. S. Z. Holland, "Remittent Fever"; Dr. Carl Sears, "Anatomy of Epithelial connective, muscular and nervous."

## ONE DEAD, FOUR INJURED.

Result of Auto Accident—Driver Unfamiliar With Road.

Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 2.—An automobile plunged over an embankment at Pine City near here today, killing H. B. Smith and injuring four others. The chauffeur was unfamiliar with the road and when the automobile reached a sharp curve he failed to make the turn.

## WANT FAIR PLAY IN THE PRIMARY

Bingham and His Colleagues Refuse to make Race.

Say the Past Record of Democratic Machine Assures Them They Will Be Defeated.

ARE DESERTED BY FRANKFORT.

In declining to go before the Democratic city and county primary in Louisville, Mayor Bingham and the other officers, who were appointed by Governor Beckham and now apparently have been deserted, make the following statement:

The Statement.  
Louisville, Ky., Aug. 30, 1907.  
To the Public:

We accepted the office to which we were respectively appointed by Governor Beckham with full appreciation of the high honor conferred on us, but also with the full appreciation of the stern duties which were thus imposed. We felt that we were agreeing to perform a high duty, not only to the Democratic party, but also to the people of this city and county—a duty which could not be avoided or belittled, a duty which must be faithfully carried out no matter what the consequences might be to us or to others. We took an oath to do that, and we have tried to keep that pledge without fear, without partiality and without ill will to any man. We have misrepresented nobody; but we have endeavored nothing which the taxpayers had a right to know. They have a right to know how their affairs have been and are being administered. We are Democrats and always have been. We believe he serves his party best who serves the people best.

Were Willing to Run If Assured Fair Play.

When we accepted this trust from a Democratic governor, we expected to be candidates before the Democratic party for its approval and nomination. If we had not so intended, we would not have accepted the trust. We have been willing, ever since our appointment, to submit ourselves to a Democratic primary, provided we were reasonably well assured that we should have fair play at the hands of the Democratic committees of this city and county. When we perceived from the proceedings of the public meeting called by this committee, in the Seelbach in July, that a majority of the committee sympathized with and seemed to give encouragement to the men who had lost office or employment for one reason or another but through no personal ill-will on our part, and who, from envy or spite, were determined in advance to misrepresent and injure us, even though the Democratic party should be thereby weakened in its coming struggle, we felt that we could not get fair play before the committee. Nevertheless, we sought to bring about an agreement, which, while protecting us from injustice, would give assurance of fair play to everybody. That was all we desired. We were willing to submit our claims to our Democratic fellow-citizens in a clean, fair race, but were not willing to put ourselves in the unrestrained power of our declared enemies, who, as everybody knows, had long been charged by many Democrats with active partisanship and gross injustice in the primary conducted by them in 1903 and in 1905, and whose actions in the election of 1905 were condemned by the court of appeals, all of the judges but one being Democrats.

Promise to Insure Fair Play Not Carried Out.

In July the local committee, through Mr. H. H. Hines, chairman of the state executive committee, offered to grant our request for proper safeguards in the coming primary and he, in their name, proposed to incorporate twelve articles as part of the rules for the primary. These articles were then and there reduced to writing in the presence of Governor Beckham, Mr. Hines, Judge Lincoln and Mr. Bingham, and we still have them as then written. They seemed fair to us, and seemed likely to secure fairness to every candidate. We accepted them in good faith and were assured by Mr. Hines that he had offered them by the authority of the local committee, and that they would be embodied in the rules. When the rules were published by the committee

## SWEET MEDITATION PSALMIST'S DREAM

Rev. J. R. Henry Calls for Halt for Calm Introspection and Holy Meditation.

"Meditation," taken from a verse of the Psalmist, was the theme of the Rev. J. R. Henry's first sermon at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday morning, after his return from his vocation. It was a plea for a stated period every day for introspection and meditation, a brief spell from the bustling and jostling of life. The speaker said we, as a people, suffer with mental indigestion as much as with physical indigestion, the national ill. He compared the mind to a factory into which the suggestions of books and sermons are introduced as raw material to be made into the finished product by the process of thought and meditation. He distinguished calm meditation from rapid mental action. He showed how it was only by constant meditation and isolation from the world that great ideas are born, and the beautiful imagery of the poet created.

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## SEEING THINGS IN DOG DAYS.



—Russell in Washington Post.

## Fall Race Meet will be a Big Event for Horsemen in Purchase as well as in Adjoining States

The fastest races ever run in western Kentucky will be every day features of the big fall meet of the Matinee club, during the horse show, September 24, 25, 26 and 27. Horses from all over the south and west, particularly Kentucky, Tennessee, Illinois and Missouri will be entered as the big purses make the meet most attractive to horsemen.

Everything is in shape now to take care of the horses and their owners, and the Matinee club hopes thus to make racing a regular annual event.

The officers of the Matinee club are: A. S. Thompson, president; John W. Keller, vice president; George H. Goodman, secretary and treasurer; F. C. Burnett, assistant secretary, and the directors are Ben Weille, Virgil Sherrill, V. J. Blow and Wallace Well.

The program for the four days' racing is:

Tuesday, September 24.  
2:35 Class—Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:35 class—Pace, 3 in 5 ..... 250

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## POWDERLY IS COMING TO THE CONVENTION

Will Make Address on Immigration to the Assembled Delegates

While Commissioner General of Immigration Sergeant cannot attend the immigration convention in this city on account of conflicting dates, he has arranged with T. V. Powderly, chief of the information department bureau of immigration, to attend and address the delegates.

The excursionists from Ann, Ill., cannot come at the time of the convention, but Secretary Coons will go there this week to consult with them and arrange for the entertainment of 1,500 fruit growers, who are coming.

## SOFT DRINK MAN IS ROBBED OF HARD MONEY

John Whitelaw, colored, proprietor of a soft drink dispensary at Thirteenth and Clay streets, was held up last night about 12 o'clock by three negro men at Ninth and Clay streets. They had pistols and while one held the pistol on Whitelaw, the other two searched him and secured \$41 in cash. They ran after the robbery, and Whitelaw reported to the police station as soon as he got to a telephone.

## IMMORAL HOUSES GIVEN ATTENTION

Instructing specifically for an inquisition into houses of alleged immoral character, Circuit Judge William Reed sent the grand jury to its room this morning. His instructions were the same as characterizes every criminal term of circuit court except in regard to immorality and gambling.

The Jury.

The first action of Circuit Judge William M. Reed this morning was the empanelling of the grand jury. The jury follows:

L. L. Jones, foreman; W. H. Patterson, clerk; C. A. Torrence, James Womble, Joseph Ullman, J. W. Hughes, W. T. Alexander, Joe Fenn, J. H. Childress, George W. Boswell, J. A. Dickerson and James Conrey.

Following the empanelling of the jury Judge Reed began calling the common law docket. Nothing but routine work will be done today and tomorrow the petit jury will be empanelled and the regular trial of criminal cases gone into.

## GALA DAY

LABOR IS CELEBRATING AND EVERYBODY IS OUT.

Streets Crowded With Working Men and Families and All Appear To Be Happy.

Labor Day for 1907 will long be remembered. Municipal officers, aldermen, councilmen, police judge, the mayor, city clerk, city treasurer, in fact every city employee, including the entire fire department and what part of the police force could be spared, participated in the parade.

Councilmen, aldermen, policemen and other city officials formed at the city hall. The fire department, every company, formed at different parts of the business section as directed by the grand marshal. Little delay was occasioned. Every trades union has been conched and knew its place. The carpenters from Mayfield participated.

Laboring men in all classes or garb, some in overalls, some in white caps and trousers, filled the streets from early morning, eager and anxious to participate in the parade. The best of order was preserved. Women and children were on the streets waiting for the monster parade.

Many unions built floats and added to the length of the parade. Some of the floats were works of art, having required several days to build.

There should be developed a high social organization to include such advantages as ease of communication, better educational facilities, increased comfort of living.

## FARMERS ARE KEPT AT HOME BY CROPS

Yet Many go to Benton to Hear Great Debate.

Dr. Ben L. Bruner and Ollie James Will Speak at Court House at 1 O'clock.

JOHN ALLEN MAKES ADDRESS.

(By Staff Correspondent.)

Benton, Ky., Sept. 2.—Benton will divide with Paducah the Labor Day crowd on account of the joint debate here between Congressman Ollie James and Dr. Ben Bruner, of Hart county, Republican candidate for secretary of state. It begins to look as if all Marshall county would be in town by noon, but the arrivals probably will slacken shortly, as the demands of the tobacco fields and corn will keep a good many farmers away from the speaking, and later speakers will get better attention from the husbandmen of Marshall. Experts estimate the crowd already gathered here at nearly 1,000.

The speaking will take place at the court house at 1 o'clock. At 11 o'clock John Allen, of Guthrie, began his address to the dark tobacco growers. The court room is comfortably filled and close attention is being given to the orator.

The order of the speaking this afternoon will be Dr. Bruner at 1 o'clock, followed by Ollie James, then T. B. McGregor, Republican candidate for the legislature, will address the people, and John L. Smith of Kuttawa will close.

BELL NICHOLS.

Lyon County Votes Dry.

Kuttawa, Ky., Sept. 2.—Lyon county Saturday voted against open saloons, the "dry" winning by a majority of 510. The total number of votes cast was 1,426. The election was quiet, although a great deal of interest was manifested.

## COURSE OF TRUE LOVE: GOODNESS, HOW ROUGH!

When Lon Tucker, colored, and his "lady love," Mattie Bush, left town Saturday night they were in excellent spirits. Before they reached home, however, they quarreled and as a result are in jail, awaiting trial for malicious assault and malicious cutting, respectively. Tucker started the trouble by flooring Mattie with a brick at Twelfth and Harrison streets. Mattie did not approve of such conduct and pulling a murderous looking knife from the folds of her dress, stabbed Lon twice in the left side, one missing the heart only the fraction of an inch. Patrolmen Ferguson and Pruett made the arrest.

## TWO HIGHWAYMAN TRY TO ROB MARKET MAN

For the second time in two years highwaymen held up Ed Duffot, the veteran market man, while he was coming into market at Twelfth and Flournoy streets, at 3 o'clock in the morning. They were colored and drew guns on the plucky marketman who slashed at one of them with a hatchet and whipped up his horse, escaping. Two years ago he was held up in the same place and robbed of \$115.

## THOSE ON RETIRED LIST Or the United States Army Should Be Exempt From Jury Duty.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The war department has decided not to interfere to secure the exemption of retired officers and enlisted men officially from jury duty. It is said, however, that retirement does not change the status of such men, for they still remain part of the army and are entitled to exemption because of being on military duty. The state courts, it is believed, may be depended upon to determine what civic duties by retired soldiers do not interfere with military duty.

There should be better opportunities for social and intellectual life of value to young people and to women.

Messrs. Henry Rudy and Robert Phillips have returned from New York.





GATHERING OF THE CIRCUS—HAGENBECK'S &amp; WALLACE'S CIRCUS, SEPTEMBER 16.

## TOYLAND

A MUSICAL OPERETTA

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"TOYLAND AT KENTUCKY—MATINEE AND NIGHT."

### THEATRICAL NOTES

Santell the Great at The Kentucky. Manager Harry G. Hinksen, of Buffalo, N. Y., will present the Great Santell and all-star vaudeville company at The Kentucky for a season of three nights and Saturday matinee, commencing Thursday, September 5. The company consists of 20 well known and popular performers and will undoubtedly give one of the strongest vaudeville shows ever seen in Paducah. The management claims that the show is unique, novel and amusing, consisting of all the latest songs, dances, sketches and pantomime extravaganzas. Among the company are such famous artists as Santell, Holliston and Holmes, Cameron and Toledo, Blanche Pearl, Burton Sisters, Daly and O'Brien, Williams and Dale, Foy and Johnson and Johnny Jones. It has been decided by the management to play this splendid attraction at popular prices.

The Carl Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Shows Combined which exhibit at Paducah Monday, September 16, have the only great blue-faced, red-nosed baboon in captivity. He is a giant in size and possessed of the strength of a hundred men. He presents a grotesque appearance with his mixture of fantastic embellishments and repulsive ferocity as he grins at the startled thousands—a degenerate man or a redeemed brute, which is he.

This giant mandril has passed through the Carl Hagenbeck school of trained animals and has thrown aside many antics of the brute creation and taken on many of the idiosyncrasies of the flaccid man.

He is at once a wonder and a mystery. The colors of the rainbow are emblazoned on the creature's form, but always in the very spots where one would least expect to see them. A bright azure glow, not in his eyes of "heavenly blue," but on each side of his nose, where the snout is widely expanded and swollen into two enormous masses. The surfaces of these enormous and very unpropitious-looking projections are bedazzled with the cerulean tint above mentioned. Lines of brilliant scarlet and deep purple alternate with the blue and the extremity blazes with a fiery red.

The general color of the fur is an olive brown that fading into gray on the under side of his limbs, and the chin is decorated with a small yellow beard. The ears are small, devoid of fur, and of a black color with a tinge of blue.

His queer grimaces and wise expression provoke both smiles and serious reflection. Does he think? Is the gleam of intelligence which occasionally flashes from his eye indicative of brain power? Or is it merely imagination and should this mandril be treated as an animal of the brute creation?

"Do you regard yourself as a servant of the republic?" "Oh, yes," answered Senator Sorghum; "but the fact that I am a servant of the republic does not make me forget that I am the political boss of my particular district."—Washington Star.

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### Former Governor Durbin Declares That He was Offered a Huge Bribe.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 31.—Winfield T. Durbin, governor of Indiana from 1901 to 1905, made the sensational statement last night that soon after his inauguration as governor attempts were made to bribe him to turn over William A. Taylor, Kentucky's refugee governor, to the authorities of that state for trial on the charge of conspiracy to assassinate Senator Goebel.

The sum offered, ex-Gov. Durbin, according to his own statement, was \$25,000 in cash.

Mr. Durbin said that Taylor had been advised of the attempted bribery after a was made, and was cognizant of all that had transpired at the meeting at which the \$25,000 was offered.

**Durbin Invited To Conference.**  
Ex-Gov. Durbin said the first efforts to bribe him came in the shape of invitations to meet "certain gentlemen in Cincinnati" to discuss the connection of Taylor with the Goebel murder. He declined the invitation, saying that he would give no consid-

eration to the case outside of his own office.

State Senator Binkley, since dead, was then asked to come to Cincinnati. He met a number of Kentuckians in a hotel there by appointment. They told him they were anxious to have Taylor returned to Kentucky for trial, that there then remained a total of \$25,000 in the \$100,000 appropriation voted by the legislature. At this, they said, would be cheerfully paid to the Indiana executive if he would surrender Taylor to the Kentucky authorities, or make it possible for them to get him across the Ohio river into that state.

**Trovis on Proposal.**  
According to Binkley's report to the governor that were not particular how the thing was accomplished as long as they succeeded in getting Taylor in custody, but they made plain the entire \$25,000 would be paid for such a service.

Binkley is said to have left the room as soon as the proposition was made, thereby indicating that he would have nothing to do with it.

### The Big Map.

The biggest map that ever was made, a map that will take generations to complete, is to have material additions made to it this summer. It is the topographic survey map of the United States being made by the geological survey, and this year field work is to be done in thirty-one states and four territories.

The people who live in localities that have already been completely surveyed and who know about the map find it an invaluable aid. It is prepared in such detail that every hamlet is shown and even every house, except where the buildings are closely crowded together in cities. Every road and path, every stream and ford and bridge, every hill and every stage of elevation of every hill are shown with precision.

The government manages to complete about 35,000 square miles of this map every year at a cost of \$350,000, or about \$10 a square mile. It has finished with Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Jersey, and is almost done with several other states. Altogether a little over a third of the area of the country has been covered. The states that contribute to the work are getting the earliest benefit. Not only do they have maps made on a larger scale but they have thirteen additional sheets completed or nearly completed this summer. Even Alaska is coming in for benefit, and the most important mining districts will soon have maps on a scale of about one mile to an inch.

All the field work for this map is, of course, done in the summer time. It is a pleasure to know that during the silly season there is some useful work going on in the world somewhere.—Record-Herald.

### Diplomatic Dancing.

Dancing is, in fact, an accomplishment which, in the old world, is indispensable to every monarch, to every statesman, and to every diplomat. The royal or imperial quadrille with which most court balls are opened on the other side of the Atlantic, are full-fledged official functions, in which a cabinet minister or an ambassador may be called upon to take part at any time, and in which he is required to acquit himself with grace and skill.

A n envoy, who declined to join in a square dance of this kind on the plea of ignorance, might very well injuriously affect thereby the interests of the country which he represents, while poor old Emile Lombard, when president of the French repub-



Suitable Precaution.

Patient—I have come to consult you about my memory, which has been completely at fault lately.  
Doctor—Ah, very remarkable, but I ought to tell you beforehand that in these cases I make it a rule that my patients pay in advance.

### Something in a Yawn.

We have noticed of late that there has been an increase of yawning among the laities. At first thought this seemed to be a lapse from good form, but now we notice in a valued contemporary that yawning is quite fashionable and that it has back of it scientific fashion, which is that it is healthy. There could be no better basis for a fashion than that it is the practice of health. It may reveal in a few cases some irregularities of teeth, but we are all mortal, and the teeth may not have been one's pride. But the true soul does not observe these discrepancies, but stands out on the sunny slopes of the "new thought" and admires the yawn as the self-assertion of a lofty soul. And when on the trolley you see Aurelia, across the way, opening wide the portals of her fair face, remember she is only adding another grace to the beauty that nature has so bountifully provided her.—Ohio State Journal.

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LENDLER and LYDON



## Mrs. Girardey's Millinery Announcement

MRS. GIRARDEY wishes to announce that she has bought the Millinery Department of Rudy, Phillips & Co. and will be glad to have her customers call to see her display of new Fall Styles.

## Inspiration in Mustard Seed.

As far back as history goes there has been poetry and as far back as poetry goes, poets have taken their ideas from the golden pines, but it is the safest sort of wager that Wallace Irwin, who wrote the lyrics of Raymond H. Brock's new musical farce, "A Yankee Tourist," is the only poet who ever found inspiration in a jar of mustard.

It was the date of the first performance of "A Yankee Tourist" last season, in the little town of Eliza, the birthplace of Miss Helen Hale, when Wallace Irwin, the lyricist, and Alfred G. Robyn, who composed the score of "A Yankee Tourist," arrived in the one-night stand on a Pullman sleeping car. They had traveled all night through rain, lying under blankets that possessed the peculiar quality of cold dappled and the two men were anxious to introduce something but their heads so they hurried to the nearest hotel seated themselves at the breakfast table, hallo! the sleepy waiter and demanded "four cups and coffee."

"Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" asked the waiter. Load of mustard composed of Irwin and Robyn: "NO." In the course of a long hour the waiter returned with the fodder. "I did not order coffee," said Mr. Robyn after sipping the cup. "I did not order sheep," said Mr. Irwin after tasting a drop. "Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" asked the waiter. "No," yelled both men. "The very best," said the waiter. "I will take some Worcestershire sauce," said Irwin, "to disguise the sheep."

Quoting the sauce the waiter remained ten minutes. He returned with a jar of mustard. "We got no Worcestershire," he said apologetically, "but wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" "I think that sounds," said Irwin. "Repeat it slowly." "Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" "Why that's good meat for mustard!" exclaimed Mr. Robyn, and to prove his statement he hummed a tune which fitted the words. They drove the waiter away, and with the mustard pot set in the table's center as a fount of inspiration, Mr. Irwin began to lyricize and Mr. Robyn to compose on the table cloth.

Suddenly Mr. Irwin slammed his pencil into the platter of sheep and said decidedly, "I absolutely refuse to write verse about mustard." Then an inspiration hit him right in the

middle of the forehead. "Why not change the word 'mustard' to 'sweetheart'?" "Great!" said Robyn, and their pencils began to scribble madly over the cloth.

In half an hour they had written the song hit of "A Yankee Tourist," which is rendered in the second act, by the Misses Helen Hale, Flora Zabelle and Eva Hallen, under the title "Wouldn't You Like to Have a Little Sweetheart?"

When this story was repeated to Mr. Brock he demanded a literary public and to accompany it, it was carried.

### Very Different.



"Mary Carter is much more sentimental than I thought. She even keeps every letter her old lover writes her."

"That isn't sentiment, my dear. It is good, hard, honest promise sense."

OWLS RINGS TOWN FIRE BELL. Buses Residents From Shooters and Their Hurled Blood Vessel and Dies.

Clinton, N. Y., Sept. 2.—"Clang! clang!" sounded the bell of the Methodist church here. The village spring from its piston sleep, for the church bell is its alarm. So every man jumped into his clothes and ran to the church. No one could find a fire. "That's all right," the bell still sounded. It was unanny.

Giles Van Riper bawled spoke up bold. "I'll go up to the belfry if some of you fellows will go with me." He got a lantern, and followed by a few bold spirits, climbed the steep stairs and raised a small trap-door leading to the belfry. At that instant a white object dashed down at him, slashing his upper lip.

Yelling, Van Riper fell full length, and he and his companions fell over each other in the night to the street.

For a few seconds the bell tolled vigorously; then it remained silent. Not a man dared again to go to the belfry in the dark. They waited from 2 o'clock until daylight came, and then—

A huge white owl had attacked a flock of pigeons dwelling in the belfry. One of its claws caught in the frayed bell rope, and in its struggles it rang the bell. The owl was dead, hanging to the main strand. In its struggles to attack Van Riper it had burst a blood vessel!

### Fast Talker.

An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotchman were one day arguing as to which of the three countries possessed the fastest trains.

"Well," said the Englishman, "I've been in one of our trains, and the telegraph poles have been like a hedge."

"I've seen the milestones appear like tombstones," said the Scot.

"He jabbers!" said Pat, "I was one day in a train in my country, and we passed in fields of turnips and a field of carrots, also a field of cabbage and parsley, then a pond of water, and we were going that quick I thought it was a broth!"—Tit-Bits.

"Can you support my daughter comfortably?"

"Well, I can if she doesn't insist on being engaged."—Houston.

### DESIRE FOR A CHANGE.

Not Due to Fatigue, But to the Monotony of Everyday Tasks.

Despite the love and interest we bear our associates and surroundings, a time comes when we grow weary and jaded, and naturally long for some sort of "change." We have no desire for a substitution of other objects and faces as a permanency; we merely seek to break the monotony of things before entering on a fresh chapter in our lives.

The desire for "a change" can hardly derive its origin from the nature of our occupation. There is nothing common to all professions and businesses, which clamor for started relief. Nor can the desire for "a change" be due to mere fatigue, because this is alleviated by daily recurring periods of rest. Moreover, the natural laws provide that each repetition of an act renders its performance both easier and more enjoyable.

Some men talk of the necessity for rest as though every fragment of mental and physical power was completely exhausted. Yet on close observation of them, when the desired change has been secured, it is quite evident their powers were not seriously weakened.

There may be some temporary failure of energy brought about by sheer monotony, but this is a very different thing from complete exhaustion. The centers of force from which strength and energy are derived may easily become lethargic from an unvarying lack of fresh stimulus.

The common round of daily life, in the home as well as in the house of business, in consequence of its monotonous routine, ceases at times to stir the centers of energy and strength of purpose; and when these springs of force are not vigorously active there is a lack of interest in the work, and, therefore, a feeling of loss of power.

Now, the way in which "a change" operates is not so much by affording exemption from toil as by supplying fresh stimulants for the lethargic centers of energy. This point is important because it directs attention at once to the way in which "a change" should be employed.

Every mistaken notion that the weariness demanding the change is the outcome of exhaustion must be entirely put aside. The physical and mental powers are not used up; they are merely asking for some variation of the stimulus. The fire may have died down, but simply because it has not been properly stirred.

The motor, the yacht, the fishing rod, the gun and the camera, in their legitimate uses, play the part of stimulants, though not to all of us in the same degree. Some find what they need walking through country lanes and villages; others prefer the continental trip with its hubbub of foreign tongues. There are persons more happy when encountering the discomforts of a tour of excursion, and there are other more sensitive individuals who, instead of being stimulated by difficulties to travel, would quickly succumb.

The perpetual round of excitement that obtains at most seaside resorts is hardly the sort of stimulant for the jaded nerves and tired body of a busy worker. Something must be radically wrong in the "change" if, on returning to one's home and business, the routine duties seem to be more than ever distasteful.

The "change" that best suits the average person is one that stirs up his energies naturally and honestly, and in perfect accord with his ordinary mode of life. Energy thus elicited will add to the stock of useful force, and will prove to be available long after the holiday has passed. Unless some such effect as this is produced, the "change" has failed of its purpose, viz., the brightening of life and the improvement of mental and physical health.—Pearson's Weekly.

### THE EDWIN BROTHER TOBACCO FORMULA.

Make me up a package of tobacco according to the formula used by Edwin Booth," said the man with a southern accent.

"That is the third man who has asked for that kind of tobacco today," said the dealer. "It is strange that people from remote parts of the country as well as New Yorkers make a fad of buying the same brand of tobacco that Booth smoked. And it isn't always the Booth mixture that they want. I have filed away the formulas for mixing the favorite tobacco of many famous persons. Smokers the country over have heard of this collection of recipes and one feature of every man's trip to New York is to try a pipeful of some big man's favorite tobacco. In most cases this special mixture is so strong that the nerves of the average smoker cannot stand it. He has to give up after a few pipefuls and go back to a popular mixture, but he has the satisfaction of having had the experience."—New York Sun.

Nothing pleases a large woman more than to have a man call her a dear little girl.

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### RELATED SHOT EXPOSES FRAUD.

Army Man Fires From Cover to Make Good Score for Friend.

Pacific Grove, Cal., Sept. 2.—A curious instance of misdirected friendship, which involves a new offense against military law, occurred at the presidio of Monterey in connection with the Pacific small arms competition, which was recently concluded. One of the best soldiers among the men, and fifth in order of marksmanship at the opening of the shoot, was Sergeant William H. Spruce, of troop F, Fourteenth cavalry.

His friend was a less sure shot, so he decided to help him. The rifle range at the presidio is set through a pine forest, and Spruce—who had taken up his position behind convenient cover—fired from it at the target at which his friend was supposed to be aiming. When the signal was given his friend fired wide, so as not to show any surplus bullet marks on the disk. On one occasion Spruce withheld his fire too long and his shot rang out after the rest of the squad had ceased. This fact aroused the suspicion of the military authorities and an investigation was made. Spruce was discovered, taken to the guardhouse, and his name struck from the rolls of competitors.

### ARCHBISHOP WHO MADE POPE LEO LAUGH.

Archbishop Murphy, of Tasmania, the recent prelate who has just entered on his ninety-third year, is a humorist, and the fact may account in some measure for his remarkable longevity. He was held in high esteem by the late Pope Leo XIII. There was a bond of affinity between them, as both received their mitres from Gregory XVI almost simultaneously. At the age of seventy-five Dr. Murphy visited Rome, and at the close of a cordial audience Pope Leo remarked: "Well, my dear brother, I suppose this is our last meeting in this world." But five years later Dr. Murphy thought he would have one more run around the globe, and presented himself at the Vatican as port and smiling us of yore. He reminded Pope Leo of his pessimistic prophecy, and slyly added: "So you see you are not infallible after all." This is said to have been one of the few occasions on which Pope Leo laughed heartily.—London Daily Chronicle.

### Exchange Burial Honors.

Lipinoff's tells of a dear old New England spinster, the embodiment of the timid and shrinking, who passed away at Carlsbad, where she had gone for her health. Her nearest kinsman, a nephew, ordered her body sent back to be buried—as was her last wish—in the quiet little country churchyard. His surprise can be imagined when, on opening the casket, he beheld, instead of the placid features of his aunt Mary, the majestic port of an English general in full regiments, who he remembered had chanced to die at the same time and place as his aunt.

At once he cabled to the general's heirs explaining the situation and requesting instructions.

They came back as follows: "Give the general a quiet funeral. Aunt Mary married today with full military honors, etc., etc., etc., saluting guns."

"You say this man stole your coat?" said the magistrate. "Do I understand that you prefer charges against him?" "No, yer honor," replied the complainant, "I prefer the coat, if it's all the same to yer, sor."—Philadelphia Press.

### CAUSE OF WRECKS.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Sept. 2.—Jasper Porter, roadmaster for the Iron Mountain railway until a few weeks ago, resigned his position, assigning as his reason the fact that the Iron Mountain system does not furnish enough material to keep its tracks in safe condition. This is the first fact which I learned when I began inquiries here, and I have substantiated it by the evidence of several of Poplar Bluff's best citizens who heard the reason from Porter's own lips. Mr. Porter, who is a railroad man of efficiency and conscience, is now in the employ of a Texas railway which is said to think more of the safety of the traveling public than of dividends.

Poplar Bluff is indignant at the condition of the Iron Mountain tracks. Everywhere I turned in this metropolitan of Southeastern Missouri I have heard indignant protests against the exceedingly dangerous condition into which the roadbed has been allowed to retrograde.

The tracks of the Iron Mountain both on the main line and the Cairo branch, which carries heavy traffic are unspeakably bad in a number of places. It might not be too strong an assertion to say that there are more ties in the main line which should be removed than there are which should be allowed to remain in the track. As to the main line, this seems to be particularly true in the neighborhood of Poplar Bluff.

They have averaged a wreck every other day on the Iron Mountain main line for the past few weeks. Once or twice it was open switches, but the rest of the wrecks were due to bad track. The railroad company has been suppressing news of the wrecks, but the local papers have succeeded in ascertaining part of the facts and have printed them.

One day a passenger engine running into a siding where the Cairo branch leaves the Poplar Bluff yards, went off the tracks. The cause, as usual, was "spreading track." The ties at this place, which I examined when it was pointed out to me by an eye witness to the accident were so rotten that they cannot be depended upon to hold spikes. The train was placed back upon the tracks and the track "repaired" under the direction of Porter. In a few minutes a Cairo branch freight came in. Its engine went off the track in the same place and the track was again repaired.

Here is the way the "repairs" were made: Wrenches and jacks were brought to bear upon the displaced rail. It was pushed back into position and a spike or two placed. Two blows from a sledge hammer drove each spike to the head in the spongy ties from which they had been pulled by the "spreading" rail. That was all. There were no new ties in the switch when I examined it. Shortly after this incident Porter resigned. He told a friend who witnessed the accident and repairs that the reason that he could not put the track in safe condition was that the Iron Mountain would not furnish the material. Porter's word is good with every man, woman, child and dog in Poplar Bluff. If it wasn't good there are other men who know the conditions.

I looked over the ties in the Poplar Bluff yards. Many of them were bad. In some places there were several in consecutive order which would not hold spikes under strain. Some of

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them were rotted so badly that there were practically no ties there.

These were near the three box cars which the Iron Mountain gives Poplar Bluff, a town of 15,000 and the most important commercial point in Southeast Missouri for a depot. Some new ties had been placed in the tracks just before the visit of the railroad commissioners. But there were not enough to put the tracks in good condition. The repair gangs were taken off just as soon as the commission had made its visit.

### A Buffalo Skeleton Found.

Le Sueur, Minn., Sept. 2.—Joe Iteu, the marble man of Le Sueur, received from William Morgan, the ditch digger, a most interesting relic of the past.

Mr. Iteu used to be the owner of the farm in the northeast quarter of section 2, Sharon township Le Sueur county, and on the farm was a tract of wet ground known as the "cranberry marsh." In this marsh, a some distance from the shore, was a place where the grass grew much taller and greener than elsewhere, and for fifty years this phenomenon had been accounted for by the farmers with the theory that in the old days a buffalo had been mired in the marsh at this point.

Mr. Iteu never investigated to see whether the theory was true, but when Mr. Morgan set his great ditching plow into the marsh and drew a great ditch through it he turned this point so that it would run through the rich grass where the "buffalo was mired" and, lo and behold, when the rich, black mold was turned, there came to the light with it the skeleton of a gigantic buffalo, the horns twenty-one inches across. Thinking that Mr. Iteu would be pleased to have this relic from the old farm, Mr. Morgan brought it in and gave it to him.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

### Power of Money.

Gelett Burgess, at the recent dinner of the American Booksellers Association in New York, said he thought that too many authors wrote for money purely.

"Hence," the creator of the Goop went on "the result is unpleasant. Anything done purely for money is bound to be unpleasant. There are bound to be involved in it all sorts of unpleasant things that, like weeds in a garden, keep continually cropping up."

"I once knew a San Franciscan who married a girl for her money. She was not a pretty girl, and as the time passed and love cooled, she developed a rather nasty tongue."

"One day her husband bought with his quarter's allowance a 26-horse power automobile. He took the car home gaily and brought his wife to the front door to look at it. She gave one sneering glance and then said:

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Daily Thought.

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cumstance."

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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son, of Louisville.

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er; Sixth ward, W. L. Bower.

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J. H. Garrison; Fourth ward,

Dr. C. G. Warner and C. G. Kel-

ly; Fifth ward, I. O. Walker;

Sixth ward, J. C. Farley and Ed

Morris.

MR. HAGER.

What is a political party?

As an abstraction it might be a

group of free citizens, unitedly sup-

porting a certain principle of govern-

ment; but in that sense, in which it

is held responsible for the conduct of

government, it is to all intents and

purposes the officeholders elected on

its ticket and the politicians, who

control the party organization.

This question is suggested by the

peroration of S. W. Hager, in his

opening speech, in which he said:

"My party has beheld it many de-

cades of honorable dealings with my

people, and before it many years of

usefulness to the citizens of the com-

monwealth. It has to its credit a long

record of unbroken promises, and

may be enjoyed, that wise and con-

servative laws, properly administered

and enforced, will insure."

Over against this declaration I ex-

pose the saying of Colonel Henry

Whiterson, the most famous editor in

the United States, a Democrat of

Democrats, writing in the greatest

newspaper of the south: "Kentucky

is the worst governed state in the

union."

"It has the credit of a long record

of unbroken promises," eh?

In the same papers that published

this hifalutin peroration, there ap-

pears in other columns a statement

of Mayor Bingham, of Louisville, and

all the other city and county offi-

cers, declaring they are afraid to

risk their ambitions in a primary con-

ducted by a member of the Democrat-

ic state committee, and as to the re-

cord, Mayor Bingham says:

"With the light of the past to

guide us, with the knowledge of the

past record and the present purpose

of a majority of this committee, we

see that we shall not be allowed fair

play."

No use for the Democrats of the

state to repudiate the Democracy of

Louisville, for it is a part of the

Democracy of the state, and the ac-

tion of the Louisville committee has

met with the sanction of H. H. Hines,

chairman of the state executive com-

mittee of the party, and S. W. Ha-

ger, candidate for governor. If Ha-

ger repudiates the action of the

Louisville machine in giving Bing-

ham the worst of the deal and sup-

porting Owen Tyler, whose political

career has been bound up in that of

the Barth administration, he will say

so—and he dares not.

The best governed state!

Months have elapsed since a body

of horsemen from a neighboring

county rode into Princeton, terroriz-

ed the people, took possession of the

railroad, the telephones and tele-

graph, locked up the fire department

and burned thousands of dollars

worth of property, and no one has

been convicted or punished for the

high-handed outrage, although the

state administration has a high salar-

ied fire marshal to look after just

such affairs.

This affair, following close on the

heels of the assassinations in Breath-

itt county, where a member of the

Democratic state committee, was

injected in the civil court for \$3,000

damages for the murder of a citizen,

and was cleared in criminal court by

a judge especially appointed by the

state administration to try the case,

has made Kentucky a by-word in the

months of the people of the union.

"In the peace, quiet, and happiness

of her people Kentucky ranks with

the best of the American states," Aye,

and the fact that her people are

peaceable and quiet and lawabiding,

makes more hideous the fact, that

such outrages and assassinations are

allowed to go unpunished within her

borders, bringing disgrace on a chiv-

alrous, high-minded people.

NO PRIMARY FOR BINGHAM.

While opinions will differ as to the

wisdom of Mayor Bingham's action

in withdrawing from the primary

contest under the existing rules,

some thinking it would have been

more courageous and more in keep-

ing with his pose as a reformer, it

has given battle, and gone down, if

defeated, with colors flying, there is

satisfaction in the fact that it has

been made clear who is responsible

for forcing upon this city a candidate

of the old regime, with the promise

of a similarly tainted ticket.

The primary to which Mayor Bing-

ham objects in a detailed criticism

and with undoubted reason was con-

trived under the inspiration of

Messrs. Hager and Hines. Whatever

opposition they met from Gov. Beck-

ham was overcome; his great eager-

ness for a senatorial making him

more than usually complacent. Thus

the mayor found himself betrayed by

Hager and deserted by Beckham.

That this is the true situation is

borne out by a paragraph in the Cin-

cinnati Enquirer, following the an-

nouncement of Owen Tyler's candi-

dature, in which it was stated that Mr.

Tyler is Hager's choice, and that his

willingness to run gave great satisfac-

tion to the state ticket.

This is illuminating. It throws a

flood of light upon the campaign in

the state. It is just as well the pub-

lic should know thus early that Ha-

## TRY U. S. AMUSEMENTS ABROAD.

L. A. Thompson Scenic Railway Com-

pany to Build Scenic Railways.

New York, Sept. 2.—The success

of the scenic railway built this spring

at Blackpool, England, by a New

York Company has excited consid-

erable interest among those interest-

ed in catering to the English people in

the matter of summer amusements.

To such an extent was interest

aroused that a party of influential

English capitalists instructed a man

to visit the United States and, after a

thorough investigation, to decide up-

on the most popular and profitable

American riding devices.

J. H. Miles, of London, has been

here, and as the result of his investi-

gations he lately signed contracts

with the L. A. Thompson Scenic

Railway company of New York to

build and operate Thompson scenic

railways and other riding devices in

various parts of Great Britain and

the continent of Europe.

A company has just been formed

in England, all the stock of which

was purchased privately and without

being placed upon the market. The

head office of the company, which is

known as the L. A. Thompson Scenic

Railway Company of England, is at

210 Strand, London W. C., and John

H. Miles is its general manager.

The English company has pur-

chased from the New York Thompson

Scenic Railway company all of their

English interests, including the

Blackpool plant, and will immediately

proceed to construct and operate

scenic railways and other American

riding devices in all of the large cit-

ies and seaside resorts throughout

England and the continent. Plans

will be built this fall and winter at

Manchester, Leeds, Great Yarmouth,

Brighton and probably three other

points, for which negotiations now

are in progress.

Dark Tobacco Election.

Elections will be held Saturday

by the Dark Tobacco Growers' associ-

ation of McCracken county for the

purpose of electing committeemen

from each precinct. Saturday, Sep-

tember 14, the committee will meet

in Paducah to effect reorganization.

This year the association has done

exceedingly well, selling at prices

greatly in advance of the previous

year.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT

Every dose makes you feel better. Last-

keeps your whole body right. Sold on

the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

Says She Was Not of Age.

Rosa Stanton filed suit against

Fred Stanton this morning in circuit

court for annulment of her marriage.

She asks that her maiden name of

Rosa Ceason be restored. She alleges

that in Hickman county on October

5, 1906, her husband by misrepresent-

ation secured a marriage license, al-

leging she was 21 years of age, when

in reality she was but 15 years old.

Later he is alleged to have abandon-

ed her.

A Kind Word.

"So you don't share the general in-

dignation toward the railways?"

"No," answered Farmer Cartor-

sel, "I have always felt that a peco-

motive was entitled to a great deal

of credit for sticking to the track in-

stead of snorting up and down the

country roads like an automobile."

Washington Star.

Committee Retained Control of

Council.

In the eleventh article it was pro-

vided that the committee should not



**Kidney, Phillips & Co.**  
519-521 Broadway

We Will be Closed All Day

**Labor Day**

Monday, September 2.

## LOCAL NEWS

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.  
—Dr. Hoyer residence phone 464; office 175.  
—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.  
—Chief of Police James Collins reports 205 arrests for the month of August, eight less than July.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—We give you better carriage and better service for the money than is given by any transfer company in America. Fine carriages for special occasions on short notice; also elegant delivery rigs. Palmer Transfer Co. Kodaks from \$1 to \$25. Something new in the line and all necessary supplies that make kodaking pleasant, at R. B. Clements & Co. —Farley & Fisher, veterinarians, 427 S. Third. Old phone 1345; new phone 351.

—Have The Sun mailed to you or any of your friends going away for the summer. The address will be changed as often as desired, and the rate is only 25c a month.

—Hotel Ivydene Cafe, John Hurst, steward. Soft shell crabs, frogs and all the seasonable delicacies.

—Perpetual green lawn grass seed just received. Branson's, 529 Broadway.

—Dr. J. W. T. Patterson, of 435 North Twelfth street, announces that in future he may be reached by new phones 661 or 1500 instead of old phones 1161 or 2023.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—Hats and cheap. We rent huggies, carriages and horses separately. Both phones 190, Copeland's Stable, 419 Jefferson street.

—Mrs. Dorman's private school will open Monday, September 3. Complete literary and commercial courses. Call or address 503 South Fourth street. Old phone 1178.

—J. M. Holt was this morning appointed a deputy county clerk.

—Mr. J. W. Troutman, county assessor, has disposed of his barber shop at 107 South Third street, to Mr. J. M. Faulkner, his foreman, and has purchased A. Yopp's grocery at Twelfth and Jackson streets. Both changes are effective today.

### CORONER'S JURY GIVES VERDICT

Charges Traction Company With Employing Incompetent Men.

Charleston, Ill., Sept. 2.—Following the verdict of the coroner's jury charging them with criminal negligence, which resulted in the death of fourteen persons in the Interurban collision Friday, Motormen Ben F. McClara and Charles Hotts were arrested today. Each was released on \$3,000 bond. They will be tried later. The jury charged the Central Illinois Traction company with employing incompetent men.

**School Book Lists.**  
Now ready at D. E. Wilson's, the Book and Music man.

### The Grant Mist Patch.

The Honorable Jesse Grant visited the old Grant homestead near St. Louis Monday and recognized an old patch of mist down by the spring. That fact alone will endear him to many thousands of voters in the event that he decides to announce for the presidency. There is a human touch in the candidate who can, and will, recognize a mist patch. Some candidates wouldn't recognize one if they saw it, and others wouldn't dare to, even if they could. —St. Louis Republic.

Miss Antique—Do you think one gets too old to marry?

Old Hatch—No; but they lose the faculty of picking a winner. —Brooklyn Eagle.

## PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. Harry W. Gleaves and children have returned from a several weeks' visit to Mrs. Gleaves' parents at Whiteville, Tenn.

Misses Clara Petter and Freda Dunbar, of Paducah, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt, on the Mayfield road.

Miss Minnie Childress, of Dallas, Texas, will be the guest of Mrs. Clara Burnett at the home of her father, Mr. W. H. Riecke.

Mrs. Phillip Rogers, of Twelfth and Broadway, has returned from a visit in Illinois.

L. H. Ogilvie has returned from an extended eastern trip.

Mrs. James Wahl and sons, of New Orleans, are visiting the family of Mrs. Henry Nagel, 524 North Fourth street.

Captain James Lemon, of the Mayfield Messenger, is in Paducah today. Mr. Rob Caldwell, formerly of Paducah but now of Fulton, is in the city.

Mr. W. R. Duke, the well known Illinois tentmaker, and wife and mother, Mrs. Lulla Duke, have gone to Little Rock, Ark., to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lehrer went to Dawson Springs today for a week's stay.

Mrs. J. C. Dunsen is seriously ill at her home, 722 South Fifth street.

### Sets Hope for Farmers.

It is generally known that the president will incorporate the following statements in his forthcoming message and urge legislation for the benefit of farmers:

The government should promote closer co-operation between federal and state departments of agriculture. The standard of living among farmers is steadily rising.

The farmer today is a traveler. He has a telephone, daily mail, and his newspaper.

The life of the farm family must be made less solitary, fuller of opportunity, freer from drudgery, happier and more attractive.

The economic growth of agriculture has added to it new dignity and there is less desire than formerly to seek social diversions of the city.

There should be co-operation between farmers in the matter of marketing their products.

### DENTIST BEATEN BY PATIENT.

Under Influence of Gas—Doctor's Assistant to Rescue.

Washington, Sept. 2.—While under the influence of gas today preparatory to having a tooth extracted, George W. Bowers, aged 28, rose from the chair and violently attacked Dr. R. H. Leonard, knocking the dentist down and severely beating him. Hearing the dentist's cries for help, Dr. W. H. Winder ran to his assistance and seizing a small hammer used in his office, he struck Bowers a fracture of the skull. Bowers was taken to the Emergency hospital and Winder was arrested but later released on \$1,000 bail. Bowers will recover.

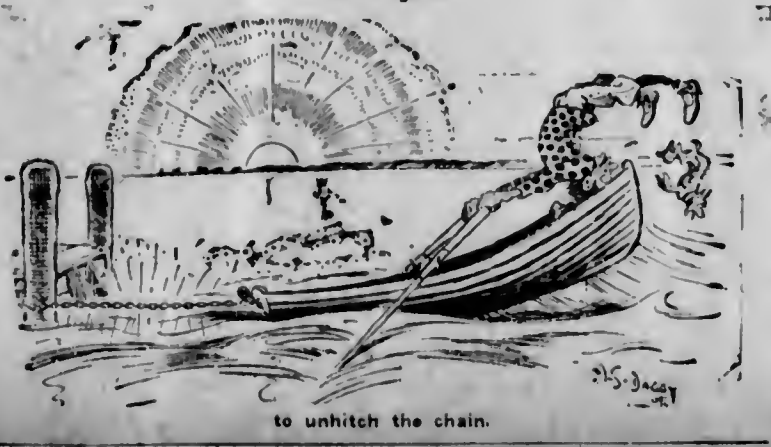
### REACTION.



The absentminded oarsman—



who forgot—



to unhitch the chain.

## SUPT. HILLS SHOWS HIS CONSIDERATION

In order that they might go to church or have at least one Sunday a month to observe, the N. C. & St. L. has inaugurated a vacation leave effective at once, and yesterday Dr. Frank Hoover, chief dispatcher of the N. C. & St. L., spent his first Sunday's vacation in Yuma, Tenn. Each Sunday dispatchers will alternate in taking a Sunday off incidentally it is stated that it was the first Sunday Mr. Hoover had had off in ten years of hard service at the key.

### Charged With Serious Cutting.

Louis Vaughan, 22 years old, was arrested Saturday night charged with malicious cutting with intent to kill. He is alleged to have stabbed Harrison Coley, an 18-year-old boy, in the neck with a knife at the corner of Mewers and Farley streets, Mechanicsburg. The two are cousins, and have worked side by side for months. An argument terminated in Vaughan making a lunge at Coley. At Dr. J. S. Troutman's office policemen found the injured youth, who claimed at first that he stumbled and landed a tobacco stub through his neck. Later he preferred charges against Vaughan.

### Tonight.

This being Labor Day and no attractions in the city, why not attend the big free medicine show tonight at Eighth and Tennessee streets.

### A Few "Wanted's."

Wanted—A young man to take care of a pair of mules of a christian disposition.

Wanted—Two apprentices who will be treated as one of the family.

Wanted—Experienced nurse for bottled baby.

Wanted—An industrious man to take charge of 3,000 sheep who can speak German. "Humor Bulls and Blunders."

### AUTOMOBILE FLIRTATION.

Skidding on one wheel—I am erring.

Full speed ahead—I'm after you. Seventeen short honks—I love you. Seventeen long honks—I am a nuisance.

Smashing into coal cart—My father has money.

Smashing into elderly gentleman—I am a wag.

Brought to a sudden halt—I am pinched—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### County Has 245 Divorces.

Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 28.—The federal employees of the census department who have been gathering statistics of divorces in this county found there had been 1245 divorces filed since 1887. Two hundred and eleven were dismissed or withdrawn or refused, and 175 are still pending, four hundred and twenty-three were based on cruelty, 188 on desertion, 150 on adultery, 11 for non-support, eight for felony and others for scattering causes. There were 1059 marriages in the twenty years covered.

### Origin of "The Dickens."

"Oh, go to the dickens!" "What the dickens you got for do with it?" and similar remarks including "dickens" are classed among cursory expressions—or cuss words. Modest, well-mannered women who have not mingled with the world too recklessly are content with "please take it" and "confound it," but a real, old-fashioned, vigorous "dickens" is common enough nowadays among those of the fair sex who know a thing or two and are somewhat advanced. It is the most elegant of the explosive "dickens" is almost universally associated with Charles Dickens; and I have often seen a capitalized "Dickens" in honor of the renowned author.

Shakespeare wrote The Merry Wives of Windsor in 1609 about two and a half centuries before the author of "Mr. Pickwick" became a world celebrity; and it is comely Mrs. Pugs is mad to remark: "I can not tell what the dickens his name is." The word "dickens" means the "deuce." "Go to the deuce" is as common as "Go to the dickens." And it may please all the Dickens, Dickens, Dickens, Dickens, etc., to know that their names are derived from the original little bit of profanity used by grand ladies in the court of Elizabeth, and by Good Queen Bess herself, the equivalent of "the deuce"—that is, "the dickens."—New York Press.

## Fall Races

And... ANNUAL HORSE SHOW

Paducah, Ky.  
Sept. 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th  
\$6,000 Prizes and Premiums.

## IN THE COURTS

### In Circuit Court.

Paul Jones & company against H. W. Ellis, et al., for \$123, alleged balance on a bill of goods.

### No Police Court Today.

Because of Labor Day no police court was held this morning. The arrests since Saturday night have been comparatively few, but are all for felonies, promising an interesting Tuesday morning docket.

### Marriage Licenses.

E. E. Tanner to E. E. Emery.

### Progress in Radio-Teleggraphy.

Within the last few days three improvements in wireless telegraphy have been reported. Rumor has it that Mr. Marconi has discovered a way to obviate the paralyzing influence of daylight on Hertz waves. Prof. Fessenden, an American electrician of high standing, announces in The Electrician (London) that he has accomplished the same result, possibly by other means. Finally, Sir Oliver Lodge describes a method of generating electro-magnetic waves which facilitates tuning and which diminishes the chance that messages will interfere with one another.

After Mr. Marconi's first notable successes had directed the attention of other inventors to the possibilities of Hertz wave telegraphy the chief advances made for a time related largely to the sensitiveness of receivers. Mr. Marconi himself devised two or three instruments which were superior to the coherer employed in his earlier work, and his rivals made notable additions to the number of original and otherwise meritorious devices of that class. Of late experiment has taken other directions, its aim being to correct deficiencies and to avert difficulties which were not foreseen at the outset. Though the time has not yet arrived for estimating the value of this recent work or of the method of generating waves which constitutes the novel feature of the Poulsen system, it is apparent that the last two or three years have not been utterly wasted.

The world can determine whether or not substantial progress has been achieved in radio-telegraphy only after public demonstrations of it have been made. The only safe foundation for judgment is established fact, frankly revealed. Nevertheless, the modest tone in which the most capable workers in this field of experiment speak of their achievements is an encouraging sign. To disinterested outsiders it affords a better assurance of ultimate triumph than voluble predictions would give. —New York Tribune.

### Went Against the Grain.

The young woman in the grandstand demurred.

"A few moments ago," she said, "you remarked that these two clubs split even in their last two games. Just now you observed that it was an even break. The two statements are irreconcilable. If it is a split it cannot be a break."

"You've got the deadwood on me," gasped the young man, mentally resolving to reconstruct his baseball vocabulary before springing it on a Boston girl again.

### Waste and Wast.

"Do you utilize the waste product in your business, sir?"

"Oh, yes. We make corsets."

"John?"

"Yes, sir."

"Be sure to tell me when it is 1 o'clock."

"Yes, sir."

"Don't forget it I promised to meet my wife at 2:30 in the drug store across the street, and she'll be provoked if I'm not there when she comes."—Judge.

### TAX PAYERS' NOBLE.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 1, 1907.

You are hereby notified that all persons owning or having in their possession, or under their control as agent, guardian or committee, executor, administrator, curator, trustee, receiver, commissioner or otherwise, realty, tangible or intangible personal property, on the 15th day of September, are required on or before the 1st day of October to give the assessor a true and complete list of same, with true cash value thereof, as of the 15th day of September, under oath, upon forms to be furnished on application by said assessor at his office, and that all merchants of the city doing business for themselves or others, shall in a like manner and in addition thereto, state the highest amount in value of goods, wares and merchandise, owned and kept on hand for sale by said merchants, during the three months next preceding such 15th day of September.

Prompt attention to this will save property owners additional cost.

STEWART DICK, Assessor.

Office, Room 9, City Hall.

Approved: D. A. Yeiser, Mayor.

## HEALTH MEANS STRENGTH

Strength Brings Results

At this season of the year the Horse, Cow, Sheep, Hog and Hen are weak from their efforts during spring and long, hot summer days.

## Vitality Gone

The Animals and Fowls can't produce profitably. They must have help.

## B. A. Thomas'

Stock and Poultry Food will bring perfect health and full strength to all animals and the hens through the molt in fine condition for heavy winter laying.

## The Hog Powder

Will positively cure and prevent hog cholera and make healthy, heavy porkers. Satisfaction guaranteed if given in time.

Hart Sells These Remedies at Factory Prices

**GEO. O. HART & SONS CO.**

Incorporated.

## WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rate applying to every one without exception.

FOR KINDLING wood ring 2361.

MITCHELLS for high-grade bicycles, 326-328 South Third street.

FOR heating and stove wood ring 437 E. Levin.

COOK WANTED—For family of three. Phone Mrs. Macquart, 1293.

FOR SALE—A walnut bookcase, Apply 1104 Jefferson street.

FOR SALE—Fine fish, globe and pedestal, with fish, 113 S. Second.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Driver or work horse. Can be seen at Copeland's stable, 119 Jefferson street.

FOR RENT—Apartment in 603 North Sixth street, George Rawleigh.

FOR DRY WOOD, old phone 2361.

WANTED—Salesladies. Apply to F. M. Kirby & Co.

W. D. BROWN Concrete Contractor. Ornamental and waterproof work a specialty. Phone 2820.

FOR HICKORY stove wood and sawdust telephone Robert Smith New Phone 763.

CLOTHES cleaned and pressed. All work guaranteed. Solomon, The Tailor, 113 South Third street. Phone 1016-a.

FOR SALE—Tents desirable for campers' or fishers' outfit; call at medicine show corner Eighth and Tennessee.

\$10.00 REWARD for a high-headed black mule, 16 hands high, seen on trip from Kiek. Address A. O. Gerard, Holloway, Ky.

WHEN BUYING HARNESS, Saddles or repair at the Paducah Harness and Saddle Co., you are getting the best. 204 Kentucky avenue.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Eleven room house on South Sixth street between Clark and Washington. Newly painted and in good condition. Apply to H. A. Petter.

FOR RENT—Two six room cottages 502 and 506 North Seventh street. All modern conveniences. Furnished if desired. Phone 2368.

AFTER FRIDAY, August 30, you can get Ham, Cheese, Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal and Hamburger sandwiches at 111 1-2 South Third street.

FOR SALE—Pony and buggy, either separately or together. Apply to S. A. Hill, at Sun office, or telephone 964.

LOST—Child's small gold bracelet on car or at Wallace park. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.

A PRIVATE family in the West End will accept two or three desirable people for meals after September 15. Address X, care The Sun.

WANTED—Board and rooms for bottle blowers, in vicinity of Glass Factory. Inquire Paducah Glass company.

CLEANING AND PRESSING neatly done. Satisfaction guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. One trial is all I ask. James Duffy, South Ninth street, near Broadway. Phone 462-a.

HYMAN, the veteran shirt man, is coming. Save your orders.

SAM L. HYMAN has 39 years' experience in shirt making.

HYMAN is the best man to order shirts from, as he can fit U.

FOR SALE—Piano cheap. Apply to 127 N. Sixth. Old phone, 1751.

WANTED—Manager for branch office we contemplate opening here in office we contemplate opening here in The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, O.

FOR SALE—Six horse power Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine. Good condition, will sell cheap. Apply to S. E. Mitchell, 326 South Third street.

### An Effective Imitation.

A boy who operates an elevator in one of the local department stores runs his car right up to the speed limit. The other day he noticed a woman standing near the elevator shaft, but as she neither pressed the button nor called to him he whizzed by. When he came up again she was still there. As he came up once more he noticed that the patient woman hadn't moved, and then he called to her:

"If you want to stop the car, ma'am," he shouted, "make a noise, like a button—make a noise like a button."

### More Nature Faking.

His wife—"George, I heard you and Mr. Pullup talking about a 'chuser' a little while ago. A chuser is an animal of some kind, isn't it?" Mr. Drysome—"Yes; it's a kind of—or—water animal."

### SOUND LOGIC.

August and September are two months when one has to be very careful about every condition that makes for good, or bad health. The system is usually beginning to feel the strain of the hot summer months and the different organs need but very little to throw them into complete disorder and result in probably a fatal illness.

Good health is assured however if you heed nature's gentle warnings, and are in any measure discreet.

The usual summer disorders—malaria, general worn-out, and run down, conditions, biliousness, stomach and bowel disorders of all kinds, chronic or acute headaches yield readily, and very quickly, to the Osteopathic treatment, and have no attending ill effects. Usually you are as ill from the customary medical prescriptions as from the illness, but, in Osteopathy you experience none of this. Let me tell you at any time of the great success I am having with the treatment in Paducah. I shall refer you to people you know well for the evidence, and who will tell you just what it has done for them.

DR. G. G. FROAGE,

516 Broadway, Upstairs. Phone 1406.

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Office Columbia Building.

With Dr. J. Q. Taylor.

Phones—Residence, Palmer House

Office. Both phones 47.

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## Genuine Pittsburgh Coal

Lump, per bushel . 16c Nut, per bushel . . . 15c

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### MIGHTY PITCHER SOUTHPAW DAVIS

He Shuts Out Metropolis Boys  
Without Mercy.

Score Is Twelve To Nothing and Murray Lad in Box Does Wonderful Work.

#### SCORES IN THE BIG LEAGUE.

With nearly faultless support and encouragement from many fans in the grand stand, Southpaw Davis, the crack Murray pitcher, shut out the crack Metropolis Blues at Wallace park yesterday afternoon by a score of 12 to 0. It was no more than just that the big twirler should get the shut out, having worked hard and practically earned one two weeks ago when an infielder let a skinner get past and threw the locals into the air. Everybody worked like a piece of machinery about the big pitcher, and there was glimmer in the game from start to finish.

Block, Paducah's star catcher, worked behind the bat for the visitors, Doyle being handicapped with bruises, and played good ball. Probably because he did not have his regular catcher, Dye, the star Metropolis pitcher, failed to show up in his usual form. The battery work began in the first inning when everybody walked up and took a hit at Dye. Several were doubles, and it took the heart out of the Blues in the outset.

Downs, a Murray infielder, worked at short for Paducah, and showed up well. Williams, another Murray boy, played the outfield, and was conspicuous with the stick. E. H. Hay, a Murray catcher, handled big Davis and did it well. His work was faultless.

This afternoon the second game will be played by the two teams, and after yesterday's exhibition, the grand stand will doubtless be packed.

The score yesterday:

	R	H	E
Paducah	12	9	2
Metropolis	0	3	3

Batteries—Davis and Hay; Dye and Block.

#### SUNDAY'S GAMES.

##### National League.

	R	H	E
Chicago	2	7	3
St. Louis	2	7	3

Batteries—Ruebach and Moran; McGlynn and Noonan.

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	1	8	2
Pittsburg	6	2	2

Batteries—Smith and McLean; Willis and Gibson.

Second game:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	2	6	1
Pittsburg	2	7	3

Batteries—Coakley and McLean; Cannitz, Leever and Gibson.

##### American League.

	R	H	E
St. Louis	1	10	2
Cleveland	2	8	3

Batteries—Peltz and Stevens; Liebhardt, Bemis and Clark.

	R	H	E
Chicago	3	4	5
Detroit	1	3	0

Batteries—White and Sullivan; Mullin, Schmidt and Payac.

#### SATURDAY'S GAMES.

##### American League.

Chicago, 2; Cleveland 2. (eight in-

ings.)  
Detroit, 5; St. Louis, 0.  
Philadelphia, 3; New York, 0.  
Washington, 1; Boston, 0.

**National League.**  
Chicago, 2; Cincinnati, 1.  
New York, 3; Boston, 2. (twelve innings.)  
New York, 9; Boston, 8. (seven innings.)  
Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis 4. (thirteen innings.)  
Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 1. (first game.)  
Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 3. (seven innings.)

#### LITTLE STORIES OF THE LATE NELSON MORRIS.

On one occasion when Mr. Morris was discussing an important matter with the head of one of the departments a negro preacher walked into the room.

As the preacher entered Mr. Morris said: "Well, Sam, what can I do for you?"

"We thought you might help us," said the preacher. "We have not come to you before."

"No, but lots of others have," said Mr. Morris.

The negro sighed and folding up his papers turned to leave the room. As he went Mr. Morris watched him and called him back as he reached the door.

"Where is your place?" he said. "Is it a big red brick building on Dearborn street?" The man replied in the affirmative.

"All right," said Mr. Morris. "You tell your folks that I will stop in there some day, and if it is any good I will give something."

The next day Mr. Morris called, saw the place and sent them \$1,000.

"Any young man can become rich if he earns \$5 a month and saves."

This was the philosophy which Mr. Morris often rehearsed for the benefit of men who wanted to know how to amass wealth. But he always added, with a smile:

"But the saving is the important part."

"I began my career at a wage of \$5 a month and my board," he would say. "I had saved \$35 at the end of the first year, and then I went into business for myself."

"Young man, it is the easiest thing in the world, this making money. All you need is resolution to spend less than you make and a cheerful disposition that will permit no discouragement to turn you aside from your purpose."

"Now, go to work and aim for the highest place in your business. You can get there if you honestly try. But whatever you do, do honestly."

One day an old stock raiser, who had dealt with Mr. Morris for years, came to Chicago with a trainload of poor, underfed cattle. The old man was pretty nearly "down and out" and didn't even have enough money to get home on. He tried to sell his cattle all over the yards, but no one would buy them. Finally he went to "Nels" Morris.

"I can't buy those cattle," said Mr. Morris. "They are way below the market and you couldn't get within fifteen cents of the market price for them."

"Take 'em for twenty-five cents less than the market," said the stock raiser, but Morris said: "No. If I give you less than the market you'll think I'm skinning you, and I don't want that. Weigh 'em up, boys, and I'll take them at the market price."

A story is told that on one occasion a commission merchant "fell down" on his contract with Mr. Morris and the latter was about to enforce it when the merchant sent his seventeen-year-old boy to interview the picker.

"Father couldn't help it," said the

boy to Mr. Morris, and the latter, putting his hand on the boy's head, said: "I don't know about that, but for your sake I'll call it off."

"A boy who took honors at Yale ought to be a successful man," Mr. Morris once said to a young man whom he met casually.

"I am glad to hear you say that," was the response, "but I would hardly expect it from a man who is known as 'self-made.'"

"Why one of the things I most deeply regret is that I did not go to one of those great schools. When I came from Europe I was thirteen years old and had to go to work for a man who was unsympathetic and unkind. Traveling through the New England states, I used to sit down by the road and watch the boys coming out of the schools and wonder if they were, like my notion of those across the water, all of them princes."

"I liked to think of the time I could stop work and go to school. You have been to one of the best of them. Come to see me when you can."

"If 'Nels' Morris ate a piece of beef steak he could tell you from what part of the country came the steer from which it was cut." This comment was made by one of the old stockmen at the "yards," who had known Mr. Morris for years. While it may not be literally true, it was nearly so. He knew the stock raisers as no other man.

Mr. Morris' whittling whims were well known in the yards. He delighted in peeling the bark from a stick and in whittling it into matchwood. His whittling was so proverbial that this maxim was common among the cattle sellers:

"When Nels Morris whittles toward himself look out for storms. Don't try to sell him anything. Wait until he turns his knife and whittles the other way, and then his temper will be cleared."

A sense of humor that showed itself occasionally manifested itself one hot summer afternoon at the stockyards when an associate said to Mr. Morris:

"I wonder where the coolest place in the yard is?"

"Over there," replied Mr. Morris. "I've looked everywhere else for my buyers and haven't found them."

Of his assistance to young men many stories are told. One of them runs that he met at the door of the First National bank, of which he was a director, a man, now a millionaire, who appeared troubled. When he heard the difficulty Mr. Morris went to the bank officers and said:

"If he hasn't got the assets for further credit, he has the character. Give him what he wants."

As three physicians were gathered around Mr. Morris for an examination preliminary to their consultation Sunday evening, the patient looked from one to the other, and then said with a slight smile:

"I'm in a place now where your brains are worth more than my money."

"Jeff" Davis' Wine Found.

A bottle of wine once owned by Jefferson Davis was found here this week. While Mrs. C. A. Alexander was having cleaned out an old closet, which for many years had not been used, she came across several bottles in a far corner of the closet. It was discovered that one of the bottles had been presented to a Washington lady by President Davis on the occasion of his last visit to Washington, when he held the final meeting of the depleted Confederate cabinet in the old Heard House. There was information which had been passed on one of the bottles to show who the distinguished donor was.—Washington, Ga., Dispatch.

### RIVER NEWS

The Bob Dudley will arrive from Nashville Tuesday night or Wednesday morning and leaves at noon Wednesday on return trip.

The Dick Fowler had up today to give employees an opportunity to enjoy Labor Day.

The Joe Fowler left this morning for Evansville with a good freight trip.

The Dowling made her regular morning trip from Metropolis today.

The Royal arrived on time this morning from Galesburg.

The J. B. Richardson ran a colored excursion to Cairo yesterday and had a large crowd.

The Henry Hiney and his outfit arrived from Nashville Sunday to lay up until a better stage of water.

The Paxonia is in from Tennessee river.

The Blue Spot cleared yesterday for Tennessee river.

The Lydia went to Cumberland river Saturday night late.

Captain Harry Mix, chief engineer on the Dick Fowler, got a leave of absence and went to Swan Lake, Ill., to join his wife.

The City of Savannah passed up last night from St. Louis to Tennessee river.

The City of Saltville passed out of Tennessee river to St. Louis last night.

The Henrietta got in last night from Tennessee river.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. Gauge reads 10.1, a rise of 0.3 in 24 hours. Wind north. Clear and warm.

S. A. FOWLER,  
Local Observer.

#### On Traces the Fire.

The burning of Charles Van Sice's stable and shed in Vesta avenue, near Fulton street, in Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon gave Chief Duff and his men a chance to do something in the way of nature study. The particular object was a seraway looking cat, who insisted on hanging around throughout all the excitement and meowing pitifully, to the surprise of the firemen and policemen.

Despite the kicks and blows aimed at her by the guardians of the peace, she succeeded finally in breaking through the hose-strewn area to the smoldering building. Even a fierce stream of water turned on her by a grinning fireman failed to do more than sweep her momentarily from her object. Making a quick dash for the ruins, she reappeared shortly carrying a kitten in her mouth, and ran with it to the first dry spot she could find. Another trip followed, and another kitten was brought out. The cat went back, but the crowd were disappointed when she emerged without the expected burden. The cause was revealed later, when Chief Duff went in to "rubber" and found five kittens all dead.—New York Tribune.

#### The Happiest Man.

The happiest man in the land today is the successful farmer. He sits under his own vine and fig tree, undisturbed by the maddening noise of the great city. Banks fail, railroads go into the hands of receivers, booming towns collapse, all business stagnates. But the wise farmer can snap his fingers at these things. He is the monarch of all he surveys on his broad acres. And the honesty of his boys and the purity of his girls is guarded against temptations, and in them he is giving his country its best manhood and womanhood. The farmer is to be envied, and if he is not contented with his lot, he is lacking in wisdom.—West Point News.

#### Even the fickle-minded compositor has set ways.

#### Dictionary Wisdom.

"Hitchhiker" is from the Icelandic "haptask," or "haptask," meaning "havesack" or "trampery." "Hike" is the Icelandic word for onto, and "hike" signifies a pocket.

The word "mitten" is from "Mittener"—one who imported storks and rhinoceros from Africa.

"To know the white feather," meaning to prove oneself a coward, is a phrase borrowed from the cockpit. Game fowls are red and black, but white feathers would naturally appear when there was any cross, and, since the slightest impurity of strain is said to destroy the bird's courage, the half-breeds are not trained for fighting. Long ago it became an adage that any cock would fight on his own right, but it must be one without a white feather to fight in the pit.

The correspondent who seeks justification of the phrase "some few" is referred to the New York Sun, which answered a similar query some time since. The Sun reported the finding of "some few" in the English Bible and in Shakespeare, and declared that it had been used "some few thousand of hundreds of thousands of times" by the best English authors. It added: "The whole pack of English grammarians is but a set of fossilized rules and other data about this wonderful, immutable and passionately living speech."—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

"It must be some consolation to know that you made your late husband happy."

"Oh, yes, poor George was in heaven till he died"—Illustrated News.

"How well Miss Smudge talks of her travels abroad." "She never has been abroad." "But she knows all about the leading points of interest." "Yes, from picture postals."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### NEWS NOTES FROM SUNDAY PAPERS.

Congressman A. O. Stanley delivered an address to a mass meeting of tobacco growers at Hopkinsville, in which he dealt largely with the working of the tobacco trust. Among other things he charged the trust with hoarding a recent article in an eastern paper purporting to give a history of the so-called tobacco war in Kentucky and Tennessee.

The announcement is made at the war department that disciplinary measures will be used if necessary to put an end to the use by families of army officers of cars chartered by the government for the transportation of troops.

With the approval of Pope Pius, Monsignor Agius, the apostolic delegate in the Philippine Islands, has intimated the religious administration of the islands to the Belgian congregations in place of the departed friars.

The high court of justice at Alva has sentenced 10 of the Sveaborg mutineers to four years' penal servitude, the two ringleaders to six and five years respectively, and several others to three years' imprisonment.

Prince Wilhelm of Sweden is an interview with a party of newspaper men in New York expressed his delight at his reception in America and his admiration of the American people and their institutions.

The statement of New York cashiers' banks for the past week shows that the banks hold \$8,750,450 more than the legal reserve requirements. This is a decrease of \$1,219,950 as compared with the previous week.

A case of plague is reported on the mail steamer Sierra, just arrived at Honolulu, a member of the crew being ill. The cabin passengers have been landed and the sailing of the steamer will be delayed.

Two attempts were made to wreck passenger trains on the Erie railroad a few miles south of Cleveland, but in both cases the attempts were frustrated by the timely discovery of the obstructions.

Mrs. Grace I. Rothner, wife of Augustus Rothner, a theatrical manager, committed suicide at her home in New York by shooting. She had been ill for some time.

James H. Keene's unbeaten colt, Collin, won the Futurity Handicap at Saratoga. Her Nona ran second and Champagne was third.

Tabletarians from Rome say that Mons. Vesivis continued in action yesterday. The crater is slowly emitting lava and smoke.

#### When He Stopped.

In a suit lately tried in a Massachusetts court the plaintiff had testified that his financial position had always been a good one. The opposing counsel took him in hand for cross-examination and undertook to break down his testimony upon this point:

"Have you ever been bankrupt?"

"No, I have not."

"Now be careful," admonished the lawyer, with raised finger. "Did you ever stop payment?"

"Yes."

"Ah, I thought we should get at the truth," observed counsel, with an unpleasant smile. "When did this suspension of payment occur?"

"When I had paid all I owed," was the naive reply of the plaintiff.—Boston Magazine.

In all cases the man's brain averages 10 per cent. heavier than the brain of the woman.

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